1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 ABANTE ROOTER AND Case No. 3:19-cv-07965 PLUMBING, INC., a California 12 corporation, individually and on behalf of all others similarly 13 situated. MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS 14 **COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT** Plaintiff, 15 VS. 16 MSC MERCHANT SERVICE 17 CENTER, LLC, a Nevada limited 18 liability company, 19 Defendant. 20 21 22 23 COMES NOW Bety Javidzad, lead counsel for Defendant MSC Merchant 24 Service Center, LLC, ("Defendant"), and on behalf of herself and the law firm of 25 Dentons US LLP ("Counsel"), requests leave of Court to withdraw as counsel of 26 record. Counsel states as grounds the following: 27 Counsel shows good cause for withdrawal because, after extended 28 discussions regarding this topic, Defendant indicated in an email on January 28,

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1	2020, that Defendant no longer wants to utilize the services of Counsel. Such
2	representation is reaffirmed by the signature below of Defendant's representative.
3	Counsel has advised Defendant that a corporation may not represent itself in this
4	lawsuit, and thus Counsel will file a Stipulation for Extension of Time for
5	Defendant to respond to the Complaint to allow Defendant additional time for
6	informal resolution or retention of replacement Counsel. Counsel has notified
7	Plaintiff's Counsel of this withdrawal, and Plaintiff's Counsel has not indicated any
8	objection.
9	WHEREFORE, Counsel requests that this Court grant Bety Javidzad and the
10	law firm of Dentons US LLP its motion to withdraw as counsel on behalf of
11	Defendant, and grant such further and other relief as the Court deems necessary and
12	proper.
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14	Dated: January 29, 2020 DENTONS US LLP
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21	Dated: January 29, 2020 MSC MERCHANT SERVICE CENTER, LLC
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23	Representative for Defendant
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 29th day of January, 2020, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the *CM/ECF* system. This MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT has been served on all counsel of record by way of the *CM/ECF*.

By: <u>/s/ Bety Javidzad</u> Bety Javidzad